## **Micheal's Confusion Mixer**

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Micheal's Confusion Mixer has been taught under several different names. The Mountain DoSaDo movement has also been taught as a lasso movement. The first YouTube clip (Click here) was taken at the 2006 Beginner Dance Party Leader's Seminar. The second clip (Click Here) was taken at the Community Dance Leaders Seminar at the 2014 CALLERLAB convention. It's a very useful mixer and can be used at beginner dance parties as well as community dances.

One thing to notice on both of the clips. The step, close, step, touch sequence is not easily done by some of the dancers. However, they seem to improve greatly with practice.

- 1-8 Walk forward eight steps
- 9-16 Stop and Mountain (lasso) DoSaDo
- 17-32 Repeat 1-16 End with Lady in front of the Man with both hands joined with the opposite dancer.
- 33-40 Step Touch in, Step Touch out, Side Close In, Side Close In.
- 41-48 Step Touch out, Step Touch in, Side Close out, Side Close out.
- 49-56 DoSaDo Partner
- 57-64 Pass Thru to a new partner and face forward as a couple.